## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff/Respondent,

Case No. 13-20495

Trainer Acespondent

Paul D. Borman United States District Judge

ERNEST THOMPSON,

v.

Elizabeth A. Stafford United States Magistrate Judge

Defendant/Petitioner.

\_\_\_\_\_/

On February 24, 2016, Magistrate Judge Elizabeth A. Stafford issued a Report & Recommendation (ECF No. 279) in which she recommended that the defendant/petitioner's Motion to Strike Defendant's Motion to Vacate, Set Aside, or Correct Sentence pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255 (ECF No. 234) be DENIED.

On May 6, 2016, Defendant/Petitioner filed Objections to the Report & Recommendation. (ECF No. 294)

The Court, having reviewed Defendant/Petitioner's objections, hereby ACCEPTS Magistrate Judge Stafford's Report & Recommendation and DENIES Defendant/Petitioner's Motion to Vacate, Set Aside, or Correct Sentence pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2255.

SO ORDERED.

s/Paul D. Borman
PAUL D. BORMAN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated: October 31, 2016

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the foregoing order was served upon each attorney or party of record herein by electronic means or first class U.S. mail on October 31, 2016.

s/Deborah Tofil
Case Manager